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The Honorable Marlene Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Madam Secretary:

I write in support of the proposed merger of AT&T and T-Mobile. As a state legislator who represents both urban and rural constituents, I search for economic development opportunities to stimulate job creation and I believe this merger is one of these opportunities. As well, it adds to the important task of improving our communications infrastructure.

We ask that you provide regulatory approval for this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Brandon Shaffer".

Brandon C. Shaffer